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> Our Prices Will Please You.

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THE AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL HAS NEW HEAD.

DE JANEIRO.

MUCH ORATORY

Would Make the Institution One of the Greatest in the Whole Country.

Stillwater, Okla., Jan. 22.-Dr. J. H. Connell of Dallas, Tex., editor of the Texas Farm and Ranch and president of the Texas Farmers' congress, was elected to the presidency of Oklahoma Agricultural and Mechanical college tonight, to succeed A. C. Scott.

Dr. Connell is a graduate of the Mississippi Agricultural college. For 10 years he was director of the experimental station of Texas Agricultural and Mechanical college. For ten years he has resided in Dallas. He is 42

Stillwater, Okla., Jan. 22—Under ban of the constitutional provision prohibiting any expenditure of public money until the legislature shall have made appropriation, the Agricultural and Mechani al college is without

This was the keynote of an address delivered before more than a hundred legislators here today by President A. C. Scott of the college. He asked an early appropriation in order that the work may not be further retarded. The address lasted for an hour and touched upon the history and condition of the schools.

From the government the school receives annually \$27,000 out of what is known as the Morrill fund. This is used to pay salaries of teachers and to purchase apparatus, but under the proposed plan of enlarging the faculty and providing additional branches of study it will be necessary for the state to make some liberal appropriations. The total expense annually is about \$175,000. At this time the school lease fund is tied up by lack of appropriation and the state taxes having been remitted for last year the school is barred from receiving a dollar from the state. The resources of the school are placed by President Scott at \$91,800 and the total value of the plant at \$445,000. There are 1,032 students en-

Judge Conners, president of the state board of agriculture, presided over the forenoon session. Short addresses were delivered by Speaker W. H. Murray, Senators Henry S. Johnston, Blair and Russell and Representatives Faulkner and Durant. Each ex pressed himself favorable to a law that will provide for the building here of one of the greatest agricultural and

mechanical colleges of the country. The special train from Guthrie was met by the Stillwater band and citizens with vehicles. A parade was formed, headed by Freeman E. Miller, chairman of the reception committee, President Scott and other representative citizens. Lunch was served at noon in Morrill Hall by young women stu-

dents of the college. Dr. Connell, editor of the Texas Farm and Ranch, spoke this afternoon. At 5 o'clock a banquet was served by citizens of Stillwater with Frank J. Wikoff, toastmaster. The following toasts were offered:

"The Freedom of the City," Mayor John L. Bishop.

"1890 to 1908" C. G. Jones. "Agricultural Education," R. H

"The Oil for the Machine," Roy Staf-"Educational Investments," George

C. Whitehurst. "On Both Sides of the Line," Clar-

"The Gentleman From Paradise," P

"Floaters and Sinkers," George D

Draft of \$25,000 Received on Policy. Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 22.-A draft for \$25,000 was received today by State Treasurer James Menifee in payment of a policy on the main building of the Oklahoma State university at Norman. The remittance was the first Committee on Banking and Currency

AMERICAN BATTLESHIPS RAISE ANCHORS AND LEAVE RIO

FEASTED AND FETED

Officers and Men Continuously Entertained During Stay at

Rio de Janeiro, Jan. 22 .- To the booming of guns and the cheers of thousands on the accompanying pleasure craft, the American war ships sail ed from Rio de Janeiro this afternoon, bound for Punta Arenas on the Magellan straight. Ten days will bring the mile cruise to San Francisco and the ships and the men carried with them today the God-speed and good wishes of the whole Brazilian Nation.

Not an untoward incident had marred the visit of the Americans here. They were feasted and feted, both officers and men, during their sojourn in Rio de Janeiro, and half the populace turned out early in the morning to give them a fitting farewell. As upon the arrival of the fleet so upon its departure, the quays, the public buildings and the hills were crowded with thousands watching warships until they had disappeared funds to pay its contingent expenses. through the mouth of the bay into the

The President of the Republic, Dr. Petropolis about 11 o'clock and proceeded on the yacht Silvia down to where the warships were lying. He went aboard the cruiser Benjamin Constant, which was in readiness to accompany the American fleet, and made a tour of all the American ships. Accompanied by Admiral Alencar, the Minister of Marine, and Dr. L. Muller, the Minister of Public Works, and other high officials, he visited the division flagship Minnesota remaining there an hour. Admiral Thomas, commander of the flagship, Capt. Hubbard and American Ambassador Irving B. Dudley received him

ed the Brazilian National anthem. In the salon of the Minnesota there was a mutual exchange of greet ings, Admiral Thomas made a little speech in which he expressed his best wishes for the prosperity of Brazil and her President, concluding with: "Brazil, God, bless you forever-

with great honors and the band play-

The President responded with wish es for a good voyage for the splendid fleet, prosperity for the United States and the health of President Roosevelt

While the President was aboard the Minnesota and during his trip among the vessels, salutes were exchanged and on his departure from the flagship twenty-one guns were fired. Dr. Penna then returned to his yacht which proceeded to a point off Fort Villegagnon, to watch the departure of the ships.

About 3 o'clock the American fleet began to move, passing out in single column and in inverse order, according to the division, the Alabama leading. The three divisions of the Brazilian navy, composed of three battleships, seven cruisers and six destroyers, followed as far as Fort Villegagnon. Hundreds of launches, and small craft from the sporting clubs, all gaily decorated, were there also, forming a striking spectacle.

Capt. R. R. Ingersoll, Chief of Staff to Rear Admiral Evens, on being interviewed before the departure of the fleet, said that he had no special plans for the ships passage through Magellan Strait. They will go through, however, as a solid fleet, he

The German cruiser Bremen, which has been here for some time and was recently ordered to remain until the departure of the American fleet, to give the German officers additional time to make observations, left today with the American ships.

BURGESS DEBATE WITH FOWLER

Says if Republicans in Partisan Spirit Pass Aldrich Bill Democrats Will Elect House and President.

Washington, Jan. 22.-The House

DISPOSING OF OUR SURPLUS STOCK

Our balance in the clothes line consists of one or two suits of a kind. We can fit some but not everybody at this time. Hence we are compelled to make sacrificing prices in order to dispose of our odds and ends.

Good Beaver Overcoat, that was \$6.50, on sale at

Our \$19.00 overcoat,

Our \$12.00 and \$15.00 Overcoats on sale for

Black Sheviat Suits that were \$9.00 now on sale for Our Black Granite Suits that were \$12.50,

now on sale for Our \$8. 0 and \$7.50 Suits

We carry a complete line of W. L. Douglas Shoes at \$3.:0. They are the best for the money. They are not included in the sale prices.

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R. E. HAYNES, The Hardware Man.

ings on the various currency re-or- ler of New Jersey, remarked that is

ganization and Federal guaranty bills which have been introduced. No person other than members of the com- ional expense, he could ask for noth-Oklahoma appeared.

he (Burgess) were mean enough to desire sectional advancement at Natmittee and Representative Fulton of ing better than a passage of the Aldrich currency bill, "which enables Representative Burgess of Texas, States to control in large measure. during a debate with Chairman Fow- the fluctuations of paper circulation,

Attention Piano Buyers!

Mr. E. M. Snedeker, special representative of the J. W. Jenkins Sons Music Company of Kansas City and Oklahoma City, will be in Ada all this week, at the Harris Hotel. Phone 126.

It is a well known fact that the Jenkins Co. are the largest music dealers in the entire country. We attribute our large and substantial growth to our absolute

ONE PRICE NO COMMISSION PLAN OF SELLING. We do not believe in selling Jones an instrument for than we charged Smith for the same piano. Nor in paying a commission ranging from \$25 to \$75 to various music teachers for recommending our goods. We would have to raise our prices if we did. Our line speaks for itself. Steinway Vose and Son, Weber, Steck. Hardman, Mason & Hamlin, Gabler, Ludwig, Standard, Weser Bros., Harwood, Elburn, Werner, Barmore and others, prices range from \$125.00 up. We quote you the lowest spot cash prices, but you can pay for one on easy monthly or quarterly payments for which we make a charge of 6 per cent interest on the deterred payments \$25.00 WILL DELIVER ONE TO YOUR HOME. \$6.00 TO \$10.00 PER

MONTH WILL PAY FOR IT. Calf up No. 126, ask for Snedeker and he will arrange to call at your convenience.

STORES AT J. W. Jenkins Sons Music Co., STORES AT Jeplin, Mo., Oklahoma City Oldest Music Firm in Hutchins, Kas., St. Joseph, Mo Independence

RANSAS CITY, MO. Guthrie, Okla. out of the policies which total \$67,500. held today the first of its public hear-

Ada Evening News.

OTIS B. WEAVER, Editor and Owner. mered as second-class mail matter March 26 at the postoffice at Ada, Oklahoma, under Me act of Congress March 3, 1869.

Oklahoma Briefs.

Kendrick, Ok., Jan. 22 .- A fire here at an early hour Tuesday morning destroyed two drug stores and a meat market. One building and contents was insured.

Muskogee, Ok., Jan. 22.-The first three Indians to take the civil service examination under the new rules in the city were W. M. Baker, H. H. Wood and Manny G. Butler.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 22.-Gov. Haskell has announced the appointment of J. J. Quarrell of Fairfax and W. Q. Brooks of Oklahoma City as members of the board of regents at the preparatory school at Tonkawa, Ok.

Frederick, Ok., Jan. 22.-Prof. Dodnon, superintendent of the Frederick schools had his left ear almost torn from his head in a runaway. He had stepped from his buggy to pick up wis lap robe, when the horse became frightened at the fluttering blanket and ran.

Okeene, Ok., Jan. 22.-Okeene is building the biggest gyp mill in the State. The plant will be 214 feet long by 80 feet wide. It will be up to date and so constructed as to eliminate the annoying dust which make many mills of an earlier construction a nuisance to adjacent property holders.

Braggs, Ok., Jan. 22.-A bootlegger, who was brought before Justice of the Peace E. B. Smith here, put up a pecaliar plea that resulted in his acquittal. He got in consultation with the man to whom he alleged to have sold the liquor, and at the trial both testified that they sent for the whiskey together and that it was a partnership soutle. The jury decided that there was nothing wrong in this.

REFUSE BOND FOR THE THOMAS BROTHERS

Judge Clark Will Be Special Judge in Plea for Bail.

Lawton, Okla., Pan. 22.-After an morning, John Thomas of Lawton, and William Thomas of Chico, Tex., charged with killing Dr. F. D. Beauchamp on January 15, were bound to the grand jury without bond.

The evidence of the prosecution this morning was directed against the statements of the Thomas brothers albeging that John Thomas was in front of Dr. Beauchamp on the station platform when the shooting occurred.

The attorneys have agreed upon a ings in the district court as soon as records are complete. Attorney Jenmings for the defense hopes to secure

Judge George W. Clark of the Oklahoma county district court has been

agreed upon by attorneys to hear a petition for a writ of habeas corpus, authorizing bail for the Thomas brothers. Judge Johnston of Lawton was disqualified on account of personal friendship for John Thomas.

CASES HAVE PASSED TO SENATE

Bonaparte's Position on Jurisdiction of Criminal Cases Explained.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 22.-Arrangements on the jurisdiction of criminal cases transferred from the federal courts of the Indian Territory to the state courts at the admission of statehood, consumed the entire afternoon session of the supreme court today.

All doubt as to the attitude of Attorney General Charles Bonaparte was dispelled by the telegram which W. J. Gregg, United tates attorney for the eastern district, read in which Gregg was instructed to appear, not as counsel for the government, but as "amicus curiae" to explain the action of the federal court in habeas corpus cases for reason of their view that the prosecution of such cases has passed to the state courts and should be maintained by them in all suits not transferred to the federal court.

Attorney General West, taking an opposite view, insisted that the state has no jurisdiction over the litigation. Both attorneys made able arguments.

DEMAND CUT IN BILLUPS BILL.

Separation of Dispensary and Enforcement Clauses May Be Asked.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 22.—The movement to demand a separation of the enforcement and dispensary clauses of the prohibition bill in the house became well defined tonight. Unless decided retrenchments are made before the measure is called up such a:tion will be taken whenever the time for a final vote arrives.

The opposition will agree to the enforcement feature of the bill. That much is certain. Their demand for the separation is based on the claim that they have enough votes to defeat the bill in its entirely with the emergency clause attached.

Shaw Opens Headquarters. New York, Jan. 22 .- The Herald to-

morrow will say: Leslie M. Shaw who is to retire from

company on March 1 next, will devote his entire energies toward capturing the republican nomination for the presidency of the United States.

Coincident with the news of his retirement from the trust company, it became known today that the former secretary of the Treasury had estabsubmission of habeas corpus proceed- lished political headquarters at No. 111 Broadway, and was devoting a great part of his time to his political ambition and plans.

> Insults Flag; Is Sorry. New York, Jan. 22.-The story that



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our goods reliable and our prices

always reasonable. We will do better by you than

others will or can. Come to see us





in the company's offices, has aroused that the man be discharged. It is said were state banks. that following the incident of the inthreshing. The association which has

RALLY GROWS.

Americans to honorary membership.

The Wednesday Evening Session ceed. Splendid. There was a good attendance at the

Wednesday evening session of the Mission Rally. Those who were present were delightfully entertained, instructed and greatly benefited by the splendid addresses. The feature of the program was the address by J. C. Stalcup on Missions. People like this church layman who has given his life's service to the services of God, and is foremest in Oklahoma in Mis sion work. After Bro. Stalcup had man of the Ada church made a strong and interesting talk on the Orphans Home work. He was followed by appropriate talks by Bros. Wolfe of Shawnee, Harrell of Ada and Harreld of Holdenville. Bro. Wiley of Muskogee introduced a resolution address ed to the State senator praying for the passage of the prohibition enforc ment bill. The resolution was adopted. Bro. Harrell read an invitation from Mr. Beck, President of the Oklahoma Portland Cement Co., to visit the plant. The invitation was acceptled, and it was decided to visit the plant at 4 o'clock, p. m. today.

Miss Hanson will deliver an address on Woman's Part in Missions, and the ladies are especially urged to be present. The question of the Oklahoma Baptist Journal will be disrussed also this evening and since this organ of the Baptist church was 🕏 born and will continue in Ada, every citizen of the c'ty should be present at the evening service.

TO INSURE DEPOSITS.

Amendment to Oklahoma Banking Act Likely to Be Introduced Today.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 22.-The bill amending the Oklahoma law to guarantee bank deposits, it is stated tonight, will be introduced probably tomorrow, and will contemplate only the elimination of that feature requiring the sanction controller of the currency in the acceptan e by national banks of insurance under the state's supervision. It is well understood that this is necessary, as it appears + the controller's department is adverse * to taking cognizance of the state's plan, because of a probable conflict with the federal banking law. A form of contract is being drawn which is to be an agreement between the na-

a young Englishman who is employed tional banks and the state, providing by one of the large life insurance com the former accept the insurance. The panies trampled on an American flag contract will provide for periodical the ire of the members of the Star examinations of the banks by the state Spangled Banner association which and to all intents they become subhas formally demanded of the company ject to the state law as though they

sult to the flag two American clerks Washington and submitted to the conthe presidency of the Carnegie Trust in the office gave the Englishman a troller. It is stated through private sources that should the latter find for an object the punishment of in- that his department would have no ausults to the flag, has elected the two thority to agree to the wishes of the Oklahoma National banks in the present situation, that congress will by an act authorize the national banks of Oklahoma or any other state to pro-

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Jones is ready. See announcement.

Miss Alice Sanders is reported some

better today Phone us. We will call for your job

printing order. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Byrd returned

from Konawa today.

See our new line of ginghams. M. L. WALSH.

Rev. E. L. Kirtley went to Stonewall this morning.

We have beautiful line of new ginghams. Come early. M. L. WALSH.

Miss Ted Smith has returned to her

You can get fresh vegetables at M

home at Sherman, Texas.

L. Walsh's grocery.

Miss Jennie Roddie is able to be out

again after a several days illness.

FOR RENT-Five room house. West 16th street. H. C. Thompson, over Ada Natl. Bank.

W. A. Alexander is transacting business at Asher this week.

Take your old clothes to Berry at Crowder's Barber shop; he will make

Frisco attending the Baptist rally.

T. O. Cullins.

Miss Barber is here from Stonewall under treatment of Dr. Lefevre.

Bro. James Gore of Coalgate, is attending the State Mission Rally.

Mrs. W. A. Holifield returned from Konawa this morning.

Mrs. A. Terry left this morning for her home at Lehigh after a several

Everything in Hardware. McRAE-WHITESIDE CO.

days visit with Mrs. M. Y. Littlefield.

Miss Lucille Leslie who has been visiting Mrs. Geo. Thompson left this morning for her home at Sherman,

P. B. WILSON LUMBER CO. We will make it to your advantage to figure with us on your bill.

Mrs. O. E. Cannon and master Oscar who have been visiting relatives left this morning for Hillsboro, Tex.,

J. HENRY COLLINS, Manager.

where they will reside in the future. McRae-Whitesides Co. are receiving new goods every day. Price their hard-

> Chapman Sells

THE BEST

SHOES

ON EARTH

Tra Shoa Min

John Beard has returned from a rip to Coalgate and Atoka.

Otis Weaver is a business visitor at Konawa over night.

H. R. Snyder, capitalist of Petersourg. Ind., is in the city prospecting.

Dr. Cox of Tyrola was in Ada today and while here purchased a fine horse from Crockett Hargis.

All work done by me is guaranteed o be the best.... .. B. C. BERRY.

F. P. Kibbey was a business visior in Ada today from Byars.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Brittain who have been visiting relatives for several weeks left today for a visit to Sulphur Springs and Commerce, Tex.

FOUND-A lady's gold watch, leather fob. Owner call establish proof to same, pay for this local and it is

An eleven pound baby boy arrived Wednesday night to make happy the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gilbert at

Eat anything you want, don't starve yourself, fearing it won't agree, for Ho-lister's Rocky Mountain Tea cleans the bowels and stomach, and makes digestion easy. 35c Tea or Tablets. G. M.

City Marshal Dick Couch is again mediately by the defendant. able to attend his duties after an illness of some time.

Dr. H. H. Wilson, ear, eye and nose specialist of Shawnee, has established a permanent office in Ada, and will be at the Ada office on the first and third Mondays of each month continusously. See his ad.

Buck Gardner and John McKinney living near Ada are just recovering from severe attacks of pneumonia.

17 There once was a maiden young and

She'd laugh and sing the whole long

For I am so happy and well, said she, Now that I take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. G. M. Ramsey.

Mrs. J. G. French for the past two & or three days has been seriously sick !! at their rooms at the Chapman hotel. * Today doctors report a change for the

hose who desire the Monthly Miss Minnie Little is here from Pictorial Review magazine may + + procure a two year's subscrip- * ❖ tion for the small sum of \$1.50 ❖ Eating apples 25c doz. at P. O. * and get two patterns. Grand * * Leader.

> Telephone Manager Butts is layed up for repairs today. Fever and an exceedingly sore tooth are the afflictions, and he didn't show up at his of-

We have for exchange large and fore the mayor today charged with the small farms in Northern Arkansas for farms near Ada or Ada City property Call southeast corner First National Bank building up stairs.

Attorney Bowman of Ardmore, and vice and information as to the course ex-assistant U. S. Attorney, Rennie of of procedure for the next meeting of Pauls Valley, are among the attorneys the city council. The information was courting here today.

Arthur Blanks, formerly of Ada, came in last evening for a social and business visit. He has been managing a laundry plant in New Mexico since leaving here, but was compelled to give up the location on account of his wife's health.

Rev. A. G. Washburn of McAlester presiding as moderator of the Baptist conference now in session here, served with distinction in the Arkansas legislature before his removal to Oklahoma, serving six years in the lower house and four years in the senate. Rev. Washburn was a pleasant caller at this office.

F. W. Greer, formerly of the firm of Cox-Greer-McDonald Co., left this afternoon over the Frisco for Ozark, Ark., his future home. Mr. Greer has disposed of his interests in the store here and will accept the management of his father's furniture and undertaking store at Ozark. Mrs. Greer has been in Arkansas for the past three weeks. Best wishes from the News office go with this family after their three years' residence in Ada.

The Dallas News.

The Dallas Morning News can be found on sale at the Postoffice news stand and Ramsey's drug store. Subscribers may get papers a LANES' GET OFF EASY.

Jury Returns a Verdict-Assessing Fine of \$100.

The jury in the case of the State a verdict today after being out for about five hours, assessing a fine of \$100 and the costs of the case.

The Lanes hail from Roff and the case was regarding the finding of a prise and all Ada citizens should be few days old baby, deserted by them on the Crow farm south of Ada about a year ago.

Attorneys Huffer and Stone appeared for the defendants and County Attorney Robt. Wimbish, unassisted, represented the State. All the arguments were concluded late last night, and the case given to the jury this

was today continued to the next term of court, as also were several other

Divorce was granted in the case of Agee vs. Agee.

Justice Brown's Court.

During this busy session of the district court at the court house, justics of the peace, Brown's court has not been called on much. Just one case disposed of today, that of Begg's Manufacturing Co. vs. D. C. Hybarger of Maxwell. The company sued on a \$52.55 note and received judgment in the full amount, which was paid im-

200 acres of good farm land for rent. Ada Title and Trust Co., Ada Okla.

plete stock of

Notes from the Mayor's Office.

or three miles east of Ada, contribut-

ed \$9.25 to the city's finances yester-

Three young white men, were up be-

Proof of their guilty was not

thought to be sufficient to hold them.

The mayor has made application to

the attorney general's office for ad-

asked through Representative E. S.

Ratliff who will take the matter up

Last Monday night there was no

quorum of the city council present at

their regular meeting, only four hav-

ing appeared at 8:30 when the effort

was given up. Next meeting of the

council will be Feb. 2, when it is

thought there will be a good attend-

ance as several matters of importance

Spelling Bee.

hee at the Presbyterian church U.S. 4

sides, and a warm contest is expect-

ed. There will be no admission fee

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"Nothing much doing today in the

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charged, and everyone is welcomed.

There will be an old fashion spelling

are to be taken up.

Friday at 7:30.

of Oakman."

News office.

day. The charge was drunkenness.

Walt King, an Indian living out two

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Two propositions we submit: 1st. That you are

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Special Notice.

An urgent request and pressing invitation is given to all the women of the town to hear Miss Hansen at the First Baptist church at 7:30 this evenvs. Robert and Cora Lane, returned ing. She will talk on Woman's part in Missions. She will be followed by the consideration of the Oklahoma Baptist Journal, as a paper for Oklahoma Baptists. The Journal is an Ada enterinterested in this, and be present to hear this discussion.

> Subscribe for the Daily News. Why Because it gives the news while it is news; not history.

> > Notice Lawyers.

On Monday, January 27th, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., the United States The case of the State vs. Birdwell Circuit Court at Muskogee will call the civil docket for the purpose of disposing of motions, demurrers and other pleas, and assigning cases for trial

> When the Stomach, Heart or Kidney nerves get weak, then these organs always fail. Don't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys. That is simply a makeshift. Get a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strengthen gists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Cathese nerves, build them up with Dr Shoop's Restorative-tablets or liquid Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are -and see how quickly help will come. Free sample on request by Dr. Shoop Racine, Wis., Your health is surely worth this simple test. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

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sistency, and unvarying continu-

* ity in the telling of the story of *

store or enterprise. There are

hilosophy, the real secret-

* many other things to be said of *

successful advertising, but in the * .

* above quotation is found the real * *

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apart sections of country for whose that forestry is a federal problem preservation, because of peculiar needing immediate attention. scenic charms or other reason, Uncle

guarded and developed by the wardens conservative lumbering. of Uncle Sam's domains. New Hampshire is waking up at last to the demolition of her forests. For she has been hit in a very sensitive spot-her pocket. The summer tourist traffic means \$8,000,000 a year to the hotels and retreats in the White mountains. And the disappearance of the forests means the disappearance of this traf-

When the governor of the state signed the bill disposing of the White mountains for \$25,000 he apologized for charging so much for them, and he meant it, but such apology sounds like a variety stage joke to-day, but it wasn't so then. For all that immense tract was considered worthless land. In those early days only cleared land had value. Lumber was not considered, and doubtless the conscientious governor who apologized felt as if he was taking money from a child.

For a large number of the 43 years that have elapsed since then, the policy of the people of the state in regard to its forests has been along the same unappreciative lines. The White mountains are being ruined as a re sort, and the forests as a future source of timber and pulp. In places, even the land is being ruined. Going to destruction, too, is the water power of all the large rivers in New England.

L. D. Sherman of Andover, Mass., visited the head waters of every large river last summer and walked through all that remains of the virgin forests of New England.

From the top of Mt. Lafayette, in the Franconia range, he saw five square miles of forest fire flames leaping from tree top to tree top and high toward the heavens. That great conflagration had been burning

Nothing had been done to check it New Hampshire has no fire patrol system, such as Maine possesses. And New Hampshire's reason for this lack is: "It isn't doing any damage, only burning over land that has already been logged.

The direct loss is small perhaps. But the indirect loss! The country that was burned was high land. The summers are cool and short, and timber grows so slowly that it takes 125 years in this region for spruce to make six inches diameter. The first growth after a fire is the worthless "bird cherry." In 15 or 20 years the spruce gets a start. In 300 or 400 years-it depends on how badly the soil is burned or washed away-there is a forest of marketable timber.

Away up the east branch of the Pemigewasset river, he saw a logging railroad being pushed, as fast as men could work, into the heart of the untouched forest. The owners of this tract are logging summer and winter. and they take out 35,000,000 feet a

When the loggers get through with a tract it is stripped as bare as the back of one's hand. All the big trees are cut for saw logs; all the small stuff for pulp, and the hard wood goes for clothes pins.

The lumber kings expect immediate results from their investments; and they get them. But as the lumber crop meet the heavy swells."-Baltimore is longer in maturing than the span of American

scheme. In the west and in the east out of the forests. That is why so much one after another there are being set agitation has been heard to the effect

Aside from the business aspect of Sam should become special sponsor the thing, there is a sentimental interand guardian, and notwithstanding his est attaching which will appeal to milmultitudinous cares he always cheer- lions who would not consider themfully assumes the new obligation selves affected in a business sense. which promises to give to the genera- This is that the White mountains offer tions yet to be a rich landed heritage. a breathing space for 10,000,000 peo-The latest proposition which has ple who live within 24 hours' easy come before his consideration is that journey of those primeval haunts. The from the White mountain district, very existence of this region as a where it is felt that the forest in- health and pleasure resort depends abterests can best be conserved by ma- solutely on the preservation of the king the region a national park, to be forests, either in their entirety or by

Thousands of persons who were formerly regular frequenters of the White mountains now spend their summers in Canada. That is because the New Hampshire scenery is being destroyed.

Three-quarters of the population of the United States are east of the Mississippi. Three-quarters of the woodworking industries are located east of the Mississippi. Yet, west of the Father of Rivers there are 140,000,000 acres of forest reserve. And the east hasn't an acre.

But the east is asking for 4,500,000 acres in the Appalachians and 500,000 in the White mountains. Will she get them? That is what the western forest reserves amount to-140,000,000 acres are equivalent to the territory of all the New England states, together with New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and part of West Virginia.

There came before the last session of congress "a bill for the purpose of acquiring national forest reserves in the Appalachian mountains and White mountains." It had passed the senate and was unanimously recommended to the house by the committee on agri-

It is proposed to make a reserve of 3,000,000 acres. One per cent. of this, or 30,000 acres, will be preserved for scenic effect, which means that the scenery will be enhanced over the entire tract. It would also be possible to promote the cultivation along scientific lines of birds, game and fish, and to provide against destructive

Fire is the greatest enemy of the forest, and it invariably follows cutting unless the logging is done in the most conservative manner. Fire not only destroys the standing timber, but also the young growth, the seedlings, the seeds, the leaf litter and even the

And the causes of forest fires, in the order of their importance, are: Railroads, carelessness in clearing land, fishermen, campers and deliberate incendiarism.

The remedy for fires is to patrol and warn and instruct all campers how and where to build their fires and how to take care of them. Maine has perfected a fire protection system of which much is heard.

Fire wardens are stationed with powerful glasses on the high mountain tops. Mr. Sherman visited one such station on Squaw mountain, near the foot of Moosehead lake. This warden had a revolving table and a map of all the country in sight, which is laid out

in circles, with his station as a center. When he discovers a fire, if not positive of the location, he places the map on the table and turns it until the directions correspond exactly with the lay of the country. And if Uncle Sam should take this White mountain district under his care this fire protection would be possible.

The Reason. "Why is it that an ocean voyage is

considered so aristocratic?" "Because on one you are sure to

TOO MANY STORES

CONDITIONS SOMETIMES FOUND IN NEWER SECTIONS.

IS A POOR BUSINESS POLICY

Good Judgment in Amount of Trade Storekeeper Can Control Is Great Essential to Success.

There is such a thing as overdoing business. There are numerous illustrations of this condition in the newer sections of the west. Towns are built up before the country is fairly settled, and there is little besides the town trade to support the business concerns. There will be several general stores to supply what one good store should look after.

This is poor policy. There are certain conditions that indicate whether there is room in a town or a community for a business concern. It is a well-known fact that the people require just so much food, so much clothing, so much this and that essential to living, and while one family or person may consume more than another certain person, when the average is made it will be found that each spends so much during the year. This being the case, it is an easy matter for the man contemplating establishing a store to estimate about the amount of trade that he can safely hope to control. If he oversteps the limit, he is sure to meet with disaster. Where there are more stores than is justified some dealer must conduct an unprofitable business. It is generally the one who has poor business ability. The experienced and the capable always win, but it is seldom that the astute and careful merchant seeks a location in an overworked field.

Where there are too many business men in a town, there is always heard complaints of dull business. The field is generally made an overdone one by the classes which may be rightly called "pikers" or small-caliber merchants, who see one storekeeper in a place doing fairly well, and conclude that there is a chance for themselves to make a little easy money. The result is poor business for all, and eventually failure. It is poor judgment in matters of this kind that runs up the list of general store failures above the average in other lines.

It is important that the one looking for a good location for a store of any kind, pick out a field where there is need of the class of business estab lishment that he contemplates starting, and where there shall be patronage enough to make the undertaking a success. Unless this matter be carefully investigated, one runs a risk.

In a new country the towns are gen erally built up first, and the agricultural section settled up in a gradual way Settlers are not always a wealthy class, and are not the most liberal buyers. Still they must have necessities supplied, and here is where the new town storekeeper gets his principal business. A store is always successful in a thickly populated community, if the management is such as to draw trade. In the large city all that is essential for success is capital and brains to rightly conduct the business undertaken, for there is always a large mass of people to do the buying, and they will turn their trade to the merchant that throws out the proper inducements to them, and satisfies them the best. In the country, or small town, things are different and business must be conducted on a different basis. Where there is not population enough to consume any great amount of goods, it would be foolhardy to try to build up a great business, for trade is regulated entirely by the wants of the people, and their wants are according to their customs, their success and tastes.

Pointer for the Merchant.

A thing that is more or less a constant source of annoyance to the general storekeeper, as well as his patrons, is the matter of arranging goods so that there is the right kind of display, protection for the goods from dust and dirt, and all arranged with a view of ready access. It is necessary that there be places for hundreds of different articles. Go into some stores, ask for a certain thing, a clerk may take several minutes in looking it up. Not long ago a man called at a general store and asked the proprietor for some small wax candles to be used for ornamentation purposes. The storekeeper said that he had them. Then commenced a search of the premises. Corners were looked into, boxes examined, and no candles found. The storekeeper was positive that he had them in stock, and finally after an hour's search found the candles stored away in a small box under the counter. It required an hour of valuable (?) time to find ten cents' worth of can-

The up-to-date merchant will have a place for everything and everything in its place, well displayed and easy of access. In the grocery store there should be bins and drawers, shelves and cases for all the stock. Store furniture manufacturers are continually devising improved means of caring for stocks and displaying the same. But it matters not how perfect the store arrangement in the way of furniture and fixtures, there must be system employed. Sales are lost every day by not having goods arranged rightly. The buyer of groceries dislikes to go than five dollars a hundred, provided into a store where there is a barrel of the purchaser ordered other goods, did sugar uncovered affording a feast for a business amounting to more than the flies and a stopping place for the \$16,000, or as much business as the dust; neither does the man have his average small storekeeper does in a appetite for cheese or other like things | year. Not alone that, but he is still suggestive of filth.

GENERALLY OF POOR GRADE.

Sales of Cheap Jewelry by Mail Amount to Millions Annually.

The report of the sales of one large mail order house showed nearly a half millions of dollars' worth of jewelry and silverware sold annually. Take the total of all the jewelry sold by the mail order system of business and it is likely to amount to fully \$25,000, 000 to \$30,000,000 annually.

If the people could be made to understands what kind of stuff in the watch and jewelry lines is generally sent out by the mail order houses they would be more careful in buying. The guarantee of these houses amounts to little, regardless of the millions of dollars of capital they may have employed in the business. All the guarantee binds them to do is to supply a new case if the one does not wear for "the 20-year period." Not one case in one thousand, even though they do not last five years, are returned to the concern for exchange. The cases are generally lowest grade, and made to order for the concerns. Not long since the manager of one of the catalogue houses called upon a large watch manufacturing concern. By the way this company would not sell the company its own trade-marked watches unless there was an agreement not to cut prices. However, before the manager left he had agreed for several thousand watches to be supplied them. Those watches were of a certain grade, were sold at prices

local dealer asks. In silverware is the people and the customs. And yet where the catalogue house gets in its London it seems has its Chinatown, consumption. fine work on patrons. Plated ware as much as either New York or San is generally sold according to the Francisco, though perhaps not on so found six doors further down, and amount of silver, the weight to the extensive a scale. piece or the dozen pieces, used in the plating and the amount of carved Joints" in London which cater for the

THE LAWS OF COMMERCE.

Consumption of Products in Accordance with Fixed Principles.

and reforms that are not based upon ment was furnished by a well-known who undertake to better commercial conditions. The scientist knows better than to ignore the laws of gravity in his calculations. The reformer is foolish to set about his work with an idea of disobeying any known natural law. He is sure to meet with failure. There are conditions in the commercial world that must be observed. Trade is in accordance with requirements of the people, and these requirements are according to other relative circumstances. As our civilization advances new demands manifest themselves. While a hundred years ago the people were satisfied with certain commodities, it was because other things known to us did not exist. The expenses of living keep relatively the same. We have statistics that show the average requirements of a certain class of people. We know to a certainty how the average runs. We cannot tell how much a single man will spend for living during a year, but we do know the average that each in a thousand or two thousand men will spend, classifying them as to occupation and earning capacity. Therefore it stands to reason that in every community the amount of trade is in accordance with the population and the classes of people composing the community. It is useless to argue that covered with rows of mattresses, and trade can be increased by certain chooses his favorite bunk; and "Kip," methods. A certain merchant by ad- a well-known personality in Chinavanced methods may increase his town, who acts as a sort of servant, trade, but as he does so some one else approaches with the "lay-out." This loses proportionately. Reformers and consists of a small square Japanese business-builders should bear these tray, containing an oil lamp, a "stem," facts in mind, and not get their "wires or pipe and bowl, two needles about

Right Kind of Advertising.

grocery department. This was met chants in the town, particularly the grocers. They combined and commenced an advertising campaign di-They were further suprised when the came out with one and two-page adtown looked upon the venture as foolish, and predicted that there was something wrong, a failure or a fire in sight. Neither happened, but in two weeks' time the enterprising storekeeper, who advertised to sell 25 pounds of granulated sugar for a dollar, when the jobbing price was more whetted by seeing the arrangement | doing the biggest business in the town. He advertised rightly



Chinatown of New York, and of er, and the paraphernalia of a better

appointed place of its kind in existence, opium used, in the "syndicate 'joints,' " Wong's charge is \$5.00. All these places are within a stone's throw of word, no special knock is necessary, ing, formerly used as the freight offices of a world-famed shipping comand put right for the coming night trade, and a little later the sallowfaced, hollow-eyed habitues are returning-for they have a "yen yen," which means that the terrible craving has come on them, and there is no deny-The visitor to "Chick's" establish-

ment—one of the "joints" controlled by the Chinese syndicate—pays 60 cents and is given half a walnut-shell filled with opium. He then enters a large room, the floor of which is five inches long, much like a woman's hat-pin, known as a "yen hok," and "shying needle," and a glass of water. Not long since in a western town The smoker now lights a cigarette, of some 7,000 population the mer- and proceeds to "cook a pill" by turnchants had an illustration of what can ing the needle with a small ball of be done by judicious advertising. The opium rapidly about in the flame of proprietor of a clothing and dry goods the lamp. Every few moments the store decided that he would add a needle is withdrawn, and the small ball of opium it contains is rolled on with the disapproval of other mer- the edge of the bowl for the purpose of removing a certain amount of poison and also to give the pill conformity. When properly cooked, and emitting rected chiefly against him. Small the peculiarly pungent smell so sick space was used. They were greatly ening to the uninitiated, the pill is surprised one morning to find that the placed directly over the small hole object of their attention had in the in the bowl and the needle is pushed daily paper a four-page advertisement. through; then the smoker, placing the bowl over the flame of the lamp, inweeklies of the surrounding towns hales the fumes into his lungs. A beginner usually takes short, quick vertisements, offering wonderful bar- pulls; but the habitue takes what is gains and to pay the railroad fare of known as the "long draw," never stopthose who would purchase a certain ping to take a breath until the pill is amount of goods. For miles around | consumed. The bowl is then rubbed the town large posters announced the over with a small damp sponge, and great sale. Other merchants of the the performance repeated until the smoker has had enough.

The second of these "joints" is presided over by a person known as "Kid Lee," a half breed Chinaman, who was at one time valet to a famous Yankee heavily carpeted, and the walls are jockey. Under his management this hung with silk curtains. All the couchplace has become the rendezvous of foreign "crooks" and "grafters," pick- end to the wall, and each couch is pockets, touts and confidence men sufficiently large to hold two persons, This place is known to the fraternity as often a servant is called into as the "Dream Shop," and is run on a requisition to 'cook." slightly better plan than "Chick's," the charge being \$1.25. Partitions divide the smokers, the surroundings also

lower than good watches could be as- San Francisco, and even of Chicago, kind, and there are two exits for use sembled and tested. These watches is known throughout America as one in case of emergency, unknown as yet have the special marks of the con- of the sights worth seeing on a visit even to the habitues. A fair estimate to any one of the cities named. And would show Lee to do a daily or In rings, emblems, all classes of foreign visitors to this country always nightly business of some three hunjewelry, the mail order kind is the feel a special curiosity to go through dred "shells," or \$375, for many of cheapest. Should something of a su- the queer section of the cities, and his customers call for a second and perior character be listed, it will be think perhaps that no city of Europe third "shell of hop." Fifty per cent noted that prices are as high as the can in any way duplicate the sights, of this is profit, and many of the "regulars" purchase opium for home

this time, instead of descending to the There are four opium dens of "Hop basement, one ascends the stairs of a work, etc. Like other goods, the mail public. Three of these are controlled floor being occupied by a fried fish order house handles a class of ware by a syndicate of Chinamen, members shop. This place, known as "Hop that is lightly plated and inferior to of a "Tong" or society. The other Harbour," is exclusively used by Orithat which is handled in the regular "joint," perhaps the most luxuriously entals, and a white man finds it exceedingly difficult to gain an entrance. is owned by a notorious Chinaman of Each of these places has a manager, great wealth, Ah Wong, who, until the the Chinese syndicate which owns great feud in San Francisco three them remaining in the background. years ago between two powerful A certain amount of opium is carefully "Tongs," which led to wholesale mur- weighed out each day to the managers der, was known there as the mayor by the representatives of the owners, It is useless to fight for innovations of Chinatown. This man's establish who collect a money equivalent. The manager receives his commission west end firm at a cost of \$10,000. daily, and the assistants their wages ples. There is too much of the super- Whereas the cost of a "layout," or at the same time. This is the Chinese use of one, ranges from ten cents to method-no books, no accounts, just \$1.25, according to the amount of business. John is far from being a

> each other. The Oriental sailor has for almost the moment you approach less than a hundred yards to walk the door it opens, two Chinamen in orfrom the docks to reach the cheaper dinary clothes look you over, and, be-"joints," while Wong's place in Lime- ing satisfied, bow you to a second house is just round the corner in an door, which opens silently. The hall old-fashioned three-storied brick build- is lighted by four large lamps bearing red shades; the walls are covered with Chinese hanging screens and orpany. The day trade is composed naments, while a red sign with black mostly of sailors or Chinamen residing lettering reads: "Chinese Restaurant." in the neighborhood, for the latter are On the first floor to the right of the barred at night, much as the residents entrance hall is a dining room conof Monaco are denied the privilege taining eight tables. Chinese lanterns of gambling at Monte Carlo. By three hang from the ceiling; the decorations are in red and black, and even the floor is painted black with a border of red around the room. Here come any number of respectable people to dine a la Chinoise. They have not the remotest idea of what goes on above the dining room floor, though others use the restaurant only for a blind, and, later on, smoke a pill or two upstairs. The food is excellent: "Chopped chicken and rice," "Yokie May," and Chinese tea being served; but the great dish is "chop suey," a most palatable mixture. To this place come many prominent persons; army officers who have been in China, society people, popular jockeys and sometimes politicians.

You pay your bill, then ascend the heavily carpeted stairway to the rooms above. At the top of the first flight, in a small recess, sits a Chinaman spotlessly dressed in white. He gives you a keen glance and awaits your pleasure. "I wish to rest awhile, Loo; let me have a room." Loo bows, and an attendant comes forward and leads the way into a small but luxuriously furnished apartment fitted up as a sleeping-room, the bed, however, being a divan raised some six inches from the floor, with a silk-covered mattress and silk cushions, or a pillow. The attendant waits for further orders. "Bring me a lay-out." With a bow the man departs, to return with the paraphernalia. The tray is a work of art, the stem is inlaid with ivory, and the "shell" is a molluse's. "Shall I 'cook' for you, sir?" inquires the servant; but the visitor has been there before, and requires no assistance. Should the attendant be called upon to do the necessary "work," and added fee of \$1.25 is necessary. The man then says: "One guinea (\$5.00) please," and, taking the money, leaves the visitor to himself. There are some six private rooms at Wong's, the second floor being a sort of "association" smoking-room, used by parties who come only for the fun of the thing. This room has some ten couches

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Stillwater Okla Jan 22-Dr J H Connell of Dullas lex editor of the Texas Farm and Runch and president of the Texas Pumers congress was elected to the presidency of Oktahoma Agricultural and Mechanical college tonight to succeed A C Scott

Dr Connell is a graduate of the Mississippi Agricultural college For 10 vears he was director of the experi mental station of Texas Agriculturaland Mech mical college For ten years he has resided in Dallas. He is 42 vears old

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Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 22 .-- Arrangements on the jurisdiction of criminal cases transferred from the federal courts of the Indian Territory to the state courts at the admission of statehood, consumed the entire afternoon session of the supreme court today.

All doubt as to the attitude of Attorney General Charles Bonaparte was dispelled by the telegram which W. J. Gregg. United tates attorney for the eastern district, read in which Gregg was instructed to appear, not as counsel for the government, but as "amicus curiae" to explain the action of the federal court in habeas corpus cases for reason of their view that the prosecution of such cases has passed to the state courts and should be maintained by them in all suits not transferred to the federal; court.

Attorney General West, taking an opposite view, insisted that the state has no jurisdiction over the litigation. Both attorneys made able arguments.

DEMAND CUT IN BILLUPS BILL.

Separation of Dispensary and Enforcement Chuses May Be Asked.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 22.-The move ment to demand a separation of the enforcement and dispensary clauses of the prohibition bill in the house of the prohibition bill in the house became well defined tonight. Unless decided retrenchments are made beforc the measure is called up such altion will be taken whenever the time for a final vote arrives.

The opposition will agree to the enforcement feature of the bill. That much is certain. Their demand for the separation is based on the claim that. they have enough votes to defeat the bill in its entirely with the emergency clause attached.

Shaw Opens Headquarters.

New York, Jan. 22 .- The Herald to morrow will say:

Leslie M. Shaw who is to retire from the presidency of the Carnegie Trust company on March 1 next, will devote his entire energies toward capturing the republican nomination for the presidency of the United States.

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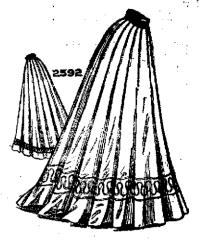
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CASES HAVE PASSED TO SENATE

Bonaparte's Position on Jurisdiction of Criminal Cases Explained.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 22.-Arrangements on the jurisdiction of criminal cases transferred from the federal courts of the Indian Territory to the state courts at the admission of statehood, consumed the entire afternoon session of the supreme court today.

All doubt as to the attitude of Attorney General Charles Bonaparte was dispelled by the telegram which W. J. Gregg, United tates attorney for the eastern district, read in which Gregg was instructed to appear, not as counsel for the government, but as "amicus curiae" to explain the action of the federal court in habeas corpus cases for reason of their view that the prosecution of such cases has passed to the state courts and should be maintained by them in all suits not transferred to the federal court. Attorney General West, taking an

opposite view, insisted that the state has no jurisdiction over the litigation Both attorneys made able arguments

DEMAND CUT IN BILLUPS BILL.

Separation of Dispensary and Euforcement Clauses May Be Asked.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 22,-The movement to demand a separation of the enforcement and dispensary clauses of the prohibition bill in the house became well defined tonight. Unless decided retrenchments are made betore the measure is called up such a tion will be taken whenever the time for a final vote arrives.

The opposition will agree to the enmuch is certain. Their domand for the a young Englishman who is employed tional banks and the state, providing separation is based on the claim that they have enough votes to defeat the bill in its entirely with the emergency clause attached.

Shaw Opens Headquarters. New York, Jan. 22 -- The Herald to

Leslie M. Shaw who is to retire from

the presidency of the Carnegie Trust company on March 1 next, will devote his entire energies toward capturing the republican nomination for the presidency of the United States.

Coincident with the news of his re tirement from the trust company, it became known today that the former se tretary of the Treasury had established political beadquarters at No 111 Broadway, and was devoting a great part of his time to his political ambition and plans.

Insults Flag; Is Sorry.

New York, Jan. 22 -The story that

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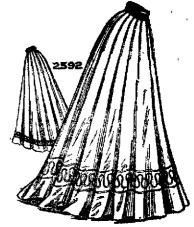
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RALLY GROUS.

The Wednesday Evenium Splendid.

There was a good attendance at the Wednesday evening session of til Mission Rally. Those who were present were delightfully entertained, instructed and greatly benefited by the spicadid addresses. The feature of he program was the address by J. C. Stalcup on Missions, People like this church layman who has given his and is foremest in Oklahoma in Misconcluded his remarks Judge Farman of the Ada church made a strong and interesting talk on the Orphans Home work. He was followed by appropriate talks by Bros Wolfe of Shawner, Harrell of Ada and Harreld of Holdenville. Bro. Wiley of Mus koger introduced a resolution address ed to the State senator praying los the passage of the probibition enformment bill. The resolution was adopt Bro. Harrell read an invitation from Mr. Beck, President of the Oklahoma Portiand Cement Co, to vis' the plant. The invitation was accepted, and it was decided to visit the plant at 4 o'clock, p. m. today.

Miss Hanson will deliver an address on Woman's Part in Missions, and the ladies are especially urged to be present. The question of the Oklahoma Baptist Journal will be disussed also this evening and since this organ of the Baptist church was born and will continue in Ada, every citizen of the c y should be present at the evening service.

Amendment to Oklahoma Banking Act Likely to Be Introduced Today.

Guthrie, Ok., Jan. 22 - The bill emending the Oklahoma law to guarantee bank deposits, it is stated tonight, will be introduced probably tomorrow, and will contemplate only the elimination of that feature requiring the sanction controller of the carrency in the acceptan e by national banks of insurance under the state's supervision. It is well understood that this is necessary, as it appears the controller's department is adverse to taking cognizance of the state's plan, because of a probable conflict with the federal banking law. A form of contract is being drawn which is to be an agreement between the na-

The contract will be forwarded to suit to the flag two American clerks Washington and submitted to the conin the office gave the Englishman a troller. It is stated through private threshing The association which has sources that should the latter find for an object the punishment of his that his department would have no ausults to the flag, has elected the two thority to agree to the wishes of the Oklahoma National banks in the present situation, that congress will by an act authorize the national banks of Oklahoma or any other state to pro-

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For I am so happy and well, said she, Now that I take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. G. M. Ramsey.

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Attorney Bowman of Ardmore, and ex-assistant U. S. Attorney, Rennie of Pauls Valley, are among the attorneys. courting here today.

Arthur Blanks, formerly of Ada, came in last evening for a social and business visit. He has been managing a laundry plant in New Mexico since leaving here, but was compelled to give up the location on account of his wife's health.

Rev. A. G. Washburn of McAlester presiding as moderator of the Baptist are to be taken up. conference now in session here, served with distinction in the Arkansas legislature before his removal to Oklahoma, serving six years in the lower house and four years in the senate. Rev. Washburn was a pleasant caller at this offi.æ.

F. W. Greer, formerly of the firm of Cox-Greer-McDonald Co., left this afternoon over the Frisco for Ozark. Ark., his future home. Mr. Greer has disposed of his interests in the store here and will accept the management of his father's furniture and under-taking store at Ozark. Mrs. Greer has Terrell to the News reporter. "Just strength by building up the constitubeen in Arkansas for the past three weeks. Best wishes from the News office go with this family after their three years' residence in Ada.

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During this husy session of the dis trict court at the court house, justice of the peace, Brown's court has not been called on much. Just one case disposed of today, that of Begg's Manufacturing Co. vs. D. C. Hybarger of Maxwell. The company sued on a \$52.55 note and received judgment in the full amount, which was paid im-

200 acres of good farm land for rent Ada Title and Trust Co., Ada Okla.

plete stock of

Walt King, an Indian living out two

ed \$9.25 to the city's finances yester-

larceny of a razor.

are to be taken up.

Friday at 7:30.

or three miles east of Ada, contribut-

The charge was drunkenness.

hought to be sufficient to hold them.

ing appeared at 8:30 when the effort

was given up. Next meeting of the

council will be Feb. 2, when it is

thought there will be a good attend-

ance as several matters of importance

Spelling Bee.

se at the Presbyterian churck U.S. A.

There will be an old fashion spelling

Balley Bobbitt and Horance Peay

ed. There will be no admission fee

Marriage License Scarce.

charged, and everyone is welcomed.

Special Notice.

First Baptist church at 7:30 this evening. She will talk on Woman's part it Missions. She will be followed by the consideration of the Oklahoma Baptist Journal, as a paper for Oklahoma Baptists. The Journal is an Ada enter prise and all Ada citizens should be interested in this, and be present to hear this discussion.

Subscribe for the Daily News. Why Because it gives the news while it is news; not history.

Notice Lawyers.

On Monday, January 27th, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., the United States Circuit Court at Muskogee will call the civil docket for the purpose of disposing of motions, demurrers and other pleas, and assigning cases for trial

When the Stomach, Heart or Kidney

perves get weak, then these organs always fail. Don't drug the Stomach, nor stimulate the Heart or Kidneys That is simply a makeshift. Get a prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. The Restorative is prepared expressly for these weak inside nerves. Strengthen these nerves, build them up with Dr Shoon's Restorative—tablets or liquid and see how quickly help will come Free sample on request by Dr. Shoot Racine Wis., Your health is surely worth this simple test. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

A tickling cough, from any cause An argent request and pressing in- is quickly stopped by Dr. Shoop's vitation is given to all the women of Cough Cure. And it is so thoroughly the town to hear Miss Hansen at the harmless and safe, that Dr. Shoop tells out hesitation, even to very young ou es. The wholesome green leaves and tender stems of a lung-healing mountainous shrub, furnish the cura tive properties to Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. It calms the cough, and heals the sore and sensitive bronchial mem branes. No opium, no chloroform, nothing harsh used to injure or supress. Simply a resinous plant extract that helps to heal aching lungs. The Spaniards call this shrub which the Doctor uses, "The Sacred Herb." Always demand Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

An Invitation.

You are cordially invited to read ev ery ad in this issue of the News. Thusmerchants who advertise deserve your patronage most for they pay the cash to talk to you about their bargains See what they have to say.

proving to the people—without a pen ny's cost—the great value of scientific prescription known to druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Ca mailed out free, on request, by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. These tests are tarrh Remedy, Sold by G. M. Ramsey

Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. It contains no oplates—it is pleasant to ake and is highly recommended for children. Sold by Crescent Drug Store F Z. Holley, Prop.

It will be unnecessary for you to go through a painful, expensive opera tion for Piles If you use ManZan. Put up in collapsible tube with nozzle ready to apply to the screness and inflammation. For any form of Piles Price 50c, guaranteed. Sold by Gwin-Mays & Co.

The most popular young lady in the county will seenre a \$500 plane, given by The News.

HELP FOR THE HAIR

can be had here in every approved shape. We have hair tonics, dyes, shampoos, + soaps, ointments, etc., etc. If you have

remedy for it, as we have for almost every ill flesh is 4

G. M. Ramsey

FEED YOUR MILCH COWS \$

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STOCK CATTLE ON MEAL AND HULLS,

Manufactured by

The Ada Gotton Oil Co.

her known feed. mixed in the proportions of one pound of pounds of hulls, and if you are not satisfied that it is a BETTER FEED, pound for 4 pound, than

RAW COTTON SEED,

We will pay you the cash market price for all the cot-ton seed you exchange with us, and charge you nothing

ADA GOTTON ADA, OKLA.

ADA STEAM LAUN DRY CO le given up to be best. Do Largest Agency Work of any plant in this Territory:



Everything strictly first sless find tean. Once you est here you'll become a regular patron.

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The Old

O. K. MEAT MARKET

is now conducted by Wright Bros the old-time meat market men
of Ada, who will be pleased to
meet all their old time customers
Fresh and cured meats, Pure
home endered hog lard. Come
in and see us. Courteous treatment. Freshest of meats.

WRIGHT BROS. \$++++++++++

First published Jan. 17-d15 Notice of Sale.

Bowler, defendant,

n the District Court of Pontotes County State of Oklahoma. J. M. Bruner, plaintiff va. Harry

By virtue of a judgment of the dis-

trict court of Pontotoc county, state of Oklahoma and process thereunder I will sell to the highest bidder on three months time with approved security in front of the court house ta the town of Ada, Okla., the following It makes more milk, and described property to-wit: Lots 9, 10 utter and fat than any othtwo room house and other improvements thereon. Said sale being made under a judgment enforcing a vendora ien for the sum of \$250 with interes at 10 per cent interest from the 4th lay of Oct., 1906, and \$13.85 iudged to the plaintiff, J. M. Bruner against the said Harry Bowler, which sale will occur between the hours of one and three o'clock on the 7th day

Sheriff Pontotoc County, Ok

T. J. SMITH,

During the long, dreary winter conths, mothers become tired, worm ut, can't eat, sleep or work. Holliser's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatat blessing for mothers, Makes them appy and well. 35c Tea or Tablets.). M. Ramsey.

For I am so bappy and well, said she.

Mrs. J. G. French for the past two 4 or three days has been seriously sick + Today doctors report a change for the

Those who desire the Monthly

****** Telephone Manager Butts is layed up for repairs today. Pever and an exceedingly sore tooth are the afflic-

Bank building up stairs.

courting here today.

Arthur Blanks, formerly of Ada. came in last evening for a social and business visit. He has been managing a laundry plant in New Mexico since leaving here, but was compelled to give up the location on account of his wife's health.

Rev. A. G. Washburn of McAlester

F. W. Greer, formerly of the firm of Cox-Greer-McDonald Co., left this

The Dallas News.

fine water, situated 4 1-2 miles from Ada. R. O. Wheeler, manager at

farm land. Regulation tenant house,

WHERE TO? Jones Has Moved.

do, Ohio.

Steed's old stand. New goods arriving daily. The stock is new, pure and fresh

"Jones He Pays The Freight."

4 THE "SECRET OF SECRETS" + In Store Advertising. One of the wisest of men * wrote:

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Three young white men; were up be-"Suffer any person to tell us 🕈 fore the mayor today charged with the larceny of a razor. Proof of their guilty was not * WILL BECOME OUR MASTER!" In the above sentence we have, 🏶 ♦ in a nutshell, the INNERMOST +

The mayor has made application to the attorney general's office for advice and information as to the course of procedure for the next meeting of the city council. The information was the city council. The information was the city of the city council. asked through Representative E. S. ** store or enterprise. There are ** Ratliff who will take the matter up * many other things to be successful advertising, but in the * ♣ many other things to be said of ♣

for the city.

Last Monday night there was no quorum of the city council present at their regular meeting, only four have their regular meeting, only four have their regular meeting, only four have their regular meeting. MATTER!

\$100 REWARD, \$100. The readers of this paper will be

pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages. and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Cawill be the chapions of the opposing tarrh being a constitutional disease. sides, and a warm contest is expert- requires a constitutional treatment Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken intern ally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system. "Nothing much doing today in the thereby destroying the foundation of Judge the disease, and giving the patient Terrell to the News reporter. "Just strength by building up the constituone happy couple, Will Ragland of tion and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they Address F. J. CHENEY & CO. Tole-

Stonewall and Miss Mary Whisenant FOR RENT-One hundred dollars in case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. cash will rent for the year 1908 seventy acres of very best improved

> Sold by all druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for con

J. E. Jones, Drug Co.

Newspaper AACHIVE®

of Feb., 1908.

AWhite Mountain National Park



is coming to be quite an elaborate scheme. In the west and in the east one after another there are being set apart sections of country for whose

preservation, because of peculiar scenic charms or other reason, Uncle Sam should become special sponsor and guardian, and notwithstanding his multitudinous cares he always cheerfully assumes the new obligation which promises to give to the generations yet to be a rich landed heritage

The latest proposition which has come before his consideration is that from the White mountain district, where it is felt that the forest interests can best be conserved by making the region a narlonal park, to be guarded and developed by the wardens of Uncle Sam's domains. New Hamp-shire is waking up at last to the de-molition of her forests. For she has been hit in a very sensitive spot-her pocket. The summer tourist traffic means \$8,000,000 n year to the hotels and retreats in the White mountains And the disappearance of the forests means the disappearance of this trai-

When the governor of the state signed the bill disposing of the White mountains for \$25,000 he apologized for charging so much for them, and he meant it, but such apology sounds like a variety stage joke to-day, but it wasn't so then. For all that immense tract was considered worthless land. In those carly days only cleared land had value. Lumber was not considered, and doubtless the conscientious governor who apologized feit as if he

was taking money from a child.

For a large number of the 43 years
that have clapsed since then, the policy of the people of the state in regard to of the people of the state in regard to its forests has been along the same unappreciative lines. The White mountains are being ruined as a re-sort, and the forests as a future source of timber and pulp. In places, even the land is being ruined. Going to de-struction, too, is the water power of

struction, too, is the water power of all the large rivers in New England. L. D. Sherman of Andover, Mass., visited the head waters of every large river last summer and walked through all that remains of the virgin forests of New England.

From the top of Mt. Latary the Franconia range, he saw five square miles of forest fire flames leaping from tree top to tree top and toward the heavens. That great high toward the heavens. That great conflagration had been burning a month.

Nothing had been done to check it. New Hampshire has no fire patrol sys-tem, such as Maine possesses. And New Hampshire's reason for this lack is: "It isn't doing any damage, only burning over land that has already been logged."

The direct loss is small perhaps. But the indirect loss! The country that was burned was high land. The summers are cool and short, and timber grows so slowly that it takes 125 years in this region for spruce to make six inches diameter. The first growth cherry." In 15 or 20 years the spruce cherry." In 15 or 20 years the spruce gets a start. In 300 or 406 years—it depends on how badly the soil is burned or washed away—there is a forest of marketable timber.

Away up the east branch of the Pemigewasset river, he saw a logging railroad being pushed, as fast as men could work, into the heart of the untouched forest. The owners of this truct are logging summer and winter, and they take out 35,000,000 feet a

When the loggers get through with a tract it is stripped as bare as the back of one's hand. All the big trees are cut for saw logs; all the small stuff for pulp, and the hard wood goes for clothes pins.

The lumber kings expect immediat results from their investments; and they get them. But as the lumber crop is longer in maturing than the span of American

Uncle Sam's National Park system | human life can make allowance for, s coming to be quite an elaborate | present methods make for the wiping cheme. In the west and m the east out of the forests. That is why so much agitation has been heard to the effect that forestry is a federal problem needing immediate attention.

Aside from the business aspect of the thing, there is a sentimental interest attaching which will appeal to millions who would not consider themselves affected in a business sense. This is that the White mountains offer a breathing space for 10,000,000 peo ple who live within 21 hours easy journey of those primeval haunts. The very existence of this region as a health and pleasure resort depends absolutely on the preservation of the forests, either in their entirely or by conservative funibering.

Thousands of persons who were for-merly regular frequenters of the White mountains now spend their summers in Canada. That is pecause the Nev Hampshire scenery is being destroyed.
Three-quarters of the population of

the United States are east of the Mis-Three-quarters of the wood sissippi. working industries are located cast of the Mississippi. Yet, west of the of the Mississippi. Yet, west of the Father of Rivers there are 140,000,000 acres of forest reserve. And the east

But the east is asking for 4.509,000 acres in the Appalachians and 500,000 in the White mountains. Will she get them? That is what the western forest reserves amount to-140,000,000 acres are equivalent to the territory of all the New England states, to-gother with New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia and part of West Virginia.

There came before the last session of congress "a bill for the purpose of acquiring national forest reserves in the Appalachian mountains and White mountains." It had passed the senate and was unanimously recommended to the house by the committee on agri-

It is proposed to make a reserve of 2,000,000 acres. One per cent. of this, or 30,000 acres, will be preserved for scenic effect, which means that the scener will be enhanced over the en-tire tract. It would also be possible to promote the cultivation along scientific lines of birds, game and fish, and to provide against destructive

Fire is the greatest enemy of the orest, and it invariably follows cutforest, and it invariably follows cut-ting unless the logging is done in the most conservative manner. Fire not only destroys the standing timber, but also the young growth, the seedlings, the seeds, the leaf litter and even the soil itself.

And the causes of forest fires, in the order of their importance, are: Rail-roads, carelessness in clearing land, fishermen, campers and deliberate in-

The remedy for fires is to patrol warn and instruct all campers how and where to build their fires and

powerful glasses on the high mountain Mr. Sherman visited one such station on Squaw mountain, near the station on squaw mountain, hear the a place for everything and everything foot of Moosehead lake. This warden in its place, well displayed and easy had a revolving table and a map of all of access. In the grocery store there the country in sight, which is laid out

in circles, with his station as a center.
When he discovers a fire, if not positive of the location, he places the map on the table and turns it until the dion the table and turns it intil the di-rections correspond exactly with the lay of the country. And if Uncle Sam: should take this White mountain district under his care this fire protection would be possible.

The Reason. "Why is it that an ocean voyage is

considered so aristocratic? "Because on one you are sure to meet the heavy swells."-Baltimore

TOO MANY STORES GENERALLY OF POOR GRADE.

CONDITIONS SOMETIMES FOUND IN NEWER SECTIONS.

IS A POOR BUSINESS POLICY

Good Judgment in Amount of Trade Storekeeper Can Control is Great Essential to Success.

There is such a thing as overdoing business. There are numerous illustrations of this condition in the newer sections of the west. Towns are built up before the country is fairly settled, and there is little besides the town trade to support the business concerns. There will be several general stores to supply what one good store should

supply wand look after.

This is poor policy. There are certain indicate whether there is room in a town or a community for a business concern. It is a well-known fact that the people require just so much food, so much clothing, so much this and that essential to living, and while one family or erson may consume more than an other certain person, when the average is made it will be found that each spends so much during the year. This being the case, it is an easy matter for the man contemplating establishing a store to estimate about the amount of trade that he can safely hope to control. If he oversteps the limit, he is sure to meet with disaster Where there are more stores than is justified some dealer must conduct an unprofitable business. It is generally the one who has poor business ability The experienced and the capable al-ways win, but it is seldom that the astate and careful merchant seeks a location in an overworked field.

Where there are too many business men in a town, there is always heard complaints of dull business. The field is generally made an overdone one by the classes which may be rightly called "pikers" or small-caliber mer-chants, who see one storckeeper in a place doing fairly well and conclude that there is a chance for themselves to make a little easy money. The result is poor business for all, and eventually failure. It is poor judgment in matters of this kind that runs up the list of general store failures above the average in other lines.

It is important that the one looking

for a good location for a store of any kind, pick out a field where there is need of the class of business establishment that he contemplates start ing, and where there shall be patronage enough to make the undertaking a success. Unless this matter be carefully investigated, one runs a risk.

In a new country the towns are generally built up first, and the agricultural section settled up in a gradual way. al section settled up in a gradual way. Settlers are not always a wealthy class, and are not the most liberal buyers. Still they must have necessities supplied, and here is where the new town storekeeper gets his princi-pal business. A store is always suc-cessful in a thickly populated community, if the management is such as to draw trade. In the large city all that is essential for success is capital and brains to rightly conduct the busi-ness undertaken, for there is always a large mass of people to do the buying and they will turn their trade to the merchant that throws out the proper Inducements to them, and satisfies them the best. In the country, or them the best. In the country, or small town, things are different and business must be conducted on a different basis. Where there is not population enough to consume any great amount of goods, it would be foolhardy to try to build up a great business, for trade is regulated entirely by the wants of the people, and their wants eas according to the later. wants are according to their customs their success and tastes

Pointer for the Merchant.

A thing that is more or less a con stant source of annoyance to the gen eral storekeeper, as well as his patrons is the matter of arranging goods so is the matter of arranging goods is that there is the right kind of disdust and dirt, and all arranged with a view of ready access. It is necessary that there be places for hundreds of different articles. Go into some ask for a certain thing, a clerk may take several minutes in looking it up. Not long ago a man called at a general store and asked the proprietor for some small wax candles to be used for ornamentation purposes. The storekeeper said that he had them Then commenced a search of the premises. Corners were looked into, boxes examined, and no candles found.
The storekeeper was positive that he how to take care of them. Maine has perfected a fire protection system of which much is heard. Fire wardens are stationed with time to find ten cents' worth of can-

The up-to-date merchant will have a place for everything and everything in its place, well displayed and easy should be bins and drawers, shelves and cases for all the stock. Store fur niture manufacturers are continually devising improved means of caring to stocks and displaying the same. But it matters not how perfect the store arrangement in the way of furniture and fixtures, there must be system employed. Sales are lost every day by not having goods arranged rightly.

The buyer of groceries dislikes to go into a store where there is a barrel of sugar uncovered affording a feast for the flies and a stopping place for the dust; neither does the man have his appetite for cheese or other like things whetted by seeing the arrangement suggestive of filth.

Sales of Cheap Jewelry by Mail Amount to Millions Annually.

The report of the sales of one large The report of the sales of one large mail order house showed nearly a half millions of dollars' worth of jewelry and silverware sold annually. Take the total of all the jewelry sold by the mail order system of business and it is likely to amount to fully \$25,000,000 to \$30,000,000 annually.

If the people could be made to un

If the people could be made to understands what kind of stuff in the watch and jewelry lines is generally sent out by the mail order houses they would be more careful in buying. The guarantee of these houses amounts to little, regardless of the millions of dollars of capital they may have em-ployed in the business. All the guar-antce binds them to do is to supply a new case if the one does not wear for "the 20-year period." Not one case in one thousand, even though they not last five years, are returned to the concern for exchange cases are generally towest grade, and made to order for the concerns. Not long since the manager of one of Not long since the manager of one or the catalogue houses called upon a large watch manufacturing concern. By the way this company would not sell the company its own trade-marked watches unless there was an agree ment not to cut prices. However, be-fore the manager left he had agreed for several thousand watches to be supplied them. Those watches were of a certain grade, were sold at prices lower than good watches could be as-sembled and tested. There watches sembled and tested. There watches have the special marks of the con-

cern, but not the name.
In rings, emblems, all classes of jewelry, the mail order kind is the cheapest. Should something of a superior character be listed, it will be noted that prices are as high as the local dealer asks. In silverware is where the catalogue house gers in its where the catalogue nouse gots in the fine work on patrons. Plated ware is generally sold according to the is generally sold according to the amount of silver, the weight to the piece or the dozen pieces, used in the plating and the amount of carved work, etc. Like other goods, the mail order house handles a class of ware that is lightly plated and inferior to that which is handled in the regular

THE LAWS OF COMMERCE.

Consumption of Products in Accord-

It is useless to fight for innovations is in accordance with requirements of the people, and these requirements are according to other relative circumstances. As our civilization advances new demands manifest themselves. While a hundred years ago the people were satisfied with certain commodities, it was because other things known to us did not exist. The expenses of living keep relatively the same. We have statisfies that show the average requirements of a certain class of mentle. We have statisfies that show the average requirements of a certain class of mentle. We have statisfies that show the same with a certain conditions are denied the privilege of gambling at Monte Carlo. By three o'clock the places have been cleaned the places have b same. We have statistics that show the average requirements of a certain class of people. We know to a cer-tainty how the average runs. We cannot tell how much a single man will spend for living during a year, but we do know the average that each in a thousand or two thousand men will spend, classifying them as to occu-pation and earning capacity. There-fore it stands to reason that in every community the amount of trade is in accordance with the population and the classes of people composing the community. It is useless to argue that trade can be increased by certain methods. A certain merchant by advanced methods may increase trade, but as he does so some one else loses proportionately. Reformers and business-builders should bear these facts in mind, and not get their "wires crossed".

be done by Judicious advertising. The proprietor of a clothing and dry goods store decided that he would add a grocery department. This was met with the disapproval of other merchants in the town, particularly the grocers. They combined and com-menced an advertising campaign didaily paper a four-page advertis They were further suprised when the weeklies of the surrounding towns came out with one and two page advertisements, offering wonderful bargains and to pay the railroad fare of those who would purchase a certain amount of goods. For miles around the town large posters announced the great sale. Other merchants of the town looked upon the venture as fool-ish, and predicted that there was something wrong, a failure or a fire in sight. Neither happened, but in two weeks' time the enterprising store-keeper, who advertised to sell 25 pounds of granulated sugar for a dollar, when the jobbing price was more than five dollars a hundred, provide the purchaser ordered other goods, did a business amounting to more than



Chinatown of New York, and of er, and the paraphernalia of a better is known throughout America as one of the sights worth seeing on a visit to any one of the cities named. And foreign visitors to this country always feel a special curiosity to go through the queer section of the cities, and think perhaps that no city of Europe can in any way duplicate the sights, the people and the customs. And yet London it seems has its Chinatown, as much as either New York or San Francisco, though perhaps not on so extensive a scale extensive a scale. There are four opium dens of "Hop

in London which cater for the public. Three of these are controlled public. Three of these are controlled by a syndicate of Chinamen, members of a "Tong" or society. The other "joint," perhaps the most luxuriously appointed place of its kind in existence, is owned by a notorious Chinaman of great wealth, Ah Wong, who, until the great lead in San Francisco three so between two powerful which led to wholesale muryears ago "Tongs," wi der, was known there as the mayor of Chinatown. This man's establish-It is useless to ngit for innovations and reforms that are not based upon logic and sustained by sound principles. There is too much of the superficial in evidence in the work of many who undertake to better commercial who undertake to better commercial \$125, according to the amount of conditions. The scientist knows better the scientists according to the amount of conditions. ter than to ignore the laws of gravity in his calculations. The reformer is foolish to set about his work with an idea of disoheving now known according to the amount of opinin used, in the 'syndicate joints,'" Wong's charge is \$5.00. All these places are within a stone's throw of each other. The Opinion of the control foolish to set about his work with an idea of disobeying any known natural law. He is sure to meet with fallure. There are conditions in the commercial world that must be observed. Trade is in accordance with requirements and put right for the coming night trade, and a little later the sallow-faced, hollow-eyed habitues are return-

for they have a "yen yen," which

means that the terrible craving has come on them, and there is no deny

The visitor to "Chick's" establish-

ing it.

ment—one of the "joints" controlled by the Chinese syndicate—pays 60 cents and is given half a wainut-shell cents and is given han a waintenent filled with opium. He then enters a large room, the floor of which is covered with rows of mattresses, and covered with rows of mattresses, and chooses his favorite bunk; and "Kip." a well-known personality in Chinatown, who acts as a sort of servant, approaches with the "lay-out." This consists of a small square Japanese tray, containing an oil lamp, a "stem," or pipe and bowl, two needles about five inches long, much like a woman's inches long, much like a woman's Right Kind of Advertising.

Not long since in a western town of some 7,000 population the merchants had an illustration of what can be done by indictors of worth and proceeds to "cook a pill" by turning the done by indictors of what can be done by indictors of worth and proceeds to "cook a pill" by turning the needle with a small ball of ing the needle with a small ball of opium rapidly about in the flame of the lamp. Every few moments the needle is withdrawn, and the small ball of opium it contains is rolled on the edge of the bowl for the purpose of removing a certain amount of poison and also to give the pill conformity. menced an advertising campaign directed chiefly against him. Small the peculiarly pungent smell so sick space was used. They were greatly surprised one morning to find that the object of their attention had in the daily paper a four-page advertisement. howl over the flame of the lamp, in-hales the fumes into his lungs. A placing the beginner usually takes short, quick pulls; but the habitue takes what is known as the "long draw," never stopping to take a breath until the consumed. The bowl is then rubber over with a small damp sponge, and the performance repeated until the smoker has had enough.

The second of these "joints" is presided over by a person known as "Kid Lee," a half breed Chinaman, who was at one time valet to a famous Yankee jockey. Under his management this lockey. Under his management this place has become the rendezvous of foreign "crooks" and "grafters," pick-This place is known to the fraternity a business amounting to more than \$16,000, or as much business as the average small storekeeper does in a year. Not alone that, but he is still doing the biggest business in the town. He savertises rightly

San Francisco, and even of Chicago, kind, and there are two exits for use s known throughout America as one in case of emergency, unknown as yet even to the habitues. A fair estimate would show Lee to do a daily or alghtly business of some three hundred "shells," or \$375, for many of his customers call for a second and third "shell of hop." Fifty per cent of this is profit, and many of the "regulars" purchase optum for home consumption. consumption.

The third of the cheaper "joints" is ound six doors further down, and this time, instead of descending to the basement, one ascends the stairs of a comparatively new house, the ground comparatively new house, the ground floor being occupied by a fried fish shop. This place, known as "Hop Harbour," is exclusively used by Orientals, and a white man finds it exceedingly difficult to gain an entrance. Each of these places has a manager, the Chinese syndicate which owns them remaining in the background. A cortain amount of opium is carefully weighed out each day to the managers by the representatives of the owners, who colleer a money equivalent. The receives his commission manager daily, and the assistants their wages at the same time. This is the Chinese method—no hooks, no accounts, just business. John is far from being a fool.

At Wong's there is no secret pass-

word, no special knock is necessar for almost the moment you approach the door it opens, two Chinamen in or-dinary clothes look you over, and, being satisfied, bow you to a second door, which opens silently. The hall entrance ball is a dining room con-taining eight tables. Chinese lanterns hang from the celling; the decorations are in ied and black, and even the floor is painted black with a border of red around the room. Here come any number of respectable people to, dibe a la Chindse. They have not to dine a la Chinoise. They have not the remotest idea of what goes on above the dining room floor, though others the restaurant only for a blind. and, later on, smoke a pill or two up-stairs. The food is excellent: "Chopped chicken and rice," "Yokie May," and Chinese tea being served; but the great dish is "chop suey," a most palatable mixture. To this place come many prominent persons; army ofmany prominent persons; army of-ficers who have been in China, society people, popular jockeys and sometimes politicians. ciety

You pay your bill, then ascend the heavily carpeted stairway to the rooms above. At the top of the first flight, in a small recess, sits a Chinaman spotlessly dressed in white. He gives you a keen glance and awaits your pleasure. "I wish to rest awhile, Loo; let me have a room." Loo bows, and an attendant convented. and an attendant comes forward and leads the way into a small but lux-uriously furnished apartment fitted up as a sleeping-room, the bed, howe being a divan raised some six inches from the floor, with a silk-covered mattress and silk cushions, or a pillow. The attendant waits for further orders. "Bring me a lay-out." With a bow the man departs, to return a bow the man departs, to return with the paraphernalia. The tray is a work of art, the stem is inlaid with ivory, and the "shell" is a mollisc's. "Shall I 'cook' for you, sir?" inquires the servant; but the visitor has been there before, and requires no assistance. Should the attendant be called ance. Should the attendant be called upon to do the necessary "work," and added fee of \$1.25 is necessary. The man then says: "One guinea (\$5.00) please," and, taking the money, leaves the visitor to bimself. There are some six private rooms at Wong's, the second floor being a sort of "association". ond floor being a sort of "association" smoking-room, used by parties who come only for the fun of the thing. come only for the run of the thing.
This room has some ten couches beautifully upholstered, the floor is heavily carpeted, and the walls are hung with silk curtains. All the couches are arranged in a circle, the pillowend to the wall, and each couch is sufficiently large to hold two persons. as often a servant is called into requisition to "cook."

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